

FOI1545- Concerning service provision for women experiencing multiple disadvantage.

We can confirm that Southern Health NHS Foundation Trust holds the information requested.

Please see below our response to your Freedom of Information request:

You asked:

1) What services are you currently commissioned to deliver specifically for women affected by:

substance use problems mental health problems homelessness involvement in offending

The Southern Health Perinatal service is commissioned locally to provide a specialist community service to women with severe mental health problems in pregnancy and in the first post-natal year.

They are also commissioned nationally to provide Mother and Baby inpatient services where women with severe mental health problems can be admitted in late pregnancy or postnatally with their babies.

2) For each type of service commissioned:

Who is the service manager and what are their contact details?

The service manager is Jenny Walsh- jennywalsh@nhs.net

How many women can they support at any one time?

The Mother and baby unit has 10 beds, currently commissioned for nine. The community team has a current caseload of 319.

When does the current contract end?

There is no end date as it is included in the service specification for AMH community services.